Export of fish from Gujarat

183. SHRI ANANTRAY DEVSHANKER DAVE: Will the Minister of COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY be pleased to state:

(a) the quantum of various fish products of Southern Gujarat exported during the last three years;

(b) the expenditure incurred during the said period; and

(c) the earning made out of export?

THE MINISTER OF COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY (SHRI MURASOLI MARAN): (a) to (c) The quantity and value of marine products exported from various sea ports in the State of Gujarat during the last three years are given below:

	1998-99	1999-2000	2000-01
Quantity (in Metric tonnes)	70432	74618	124159
Value (in Rs.Crores)	367.45	389.38	615.64

Source: MPEDA

The details of region-wise export figures are not maintained by the Marine Products Export Development Authority (MPEDA), Cochin. Hence data relating to exports of marine products from southern Gujarat are not available.

As expenses in exports are incurred by individual exporters, Government does not have access to such details.